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FCC Office of the Secretary 445 12th Street SW Washington, DC 20554

CC Docket No. 02-6 RE:

Funding Year 2006 Appeal for Billed Entity Numbe 16027219

Dear Sir or Madam:

I am writing on Lincoln International High School, located at 730 Hennepin Avenue, Minneapolis, MN 55403 to appeal an application decision that appears to be in error. My appeal relates to the following:

Billed Entity Applicant Name: Lincoln International High School

Funding Request Number: 1430364 Form 471 Application Number: 519805 Contact Name: Deborah Ellingwood Contact Phone Number: 612/872-4088 Contact Fax Number: 612/872-4089 Contact E-mail: deborahe@,inamn.org

The reason given for the above denial is that "30% or more of this FRN includes a request for NBX 3102 Business Phones, which is an ineligible product(s)/service(s) based on program rules".

In support of this appeal, I enclose the following:

Photocopy of denial letter dated 01/24/2007 Photocopy of 3Com Communication System Proposal from Cabling Services

Please find attached the copy of the 3Com Communication System Proposal from Cabling Services. The proposal originally listed incorrectly 75 NBX Phones. Lincoln International High School does not want or have a need for 75 phones. A correction has been made on the proposal changing the number to 40 phones. By changing to an accurate count of new phones, it lowers the percentage to less than 30% of the bid which

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is based on program rules. Please reverse the denial decision and approve this FRN for Lincoln International High School.

It is extremely important and vital to Lincoln International High School to receive E-Rate funds to successfully continue their School. Without the continuation of funds, at a 90% discount, Lincoln International High School will suffer substantial financial difficulties.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Deborah Ellingwood

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the website, www.usac.org/sl, Eligible Services List. FCC Rules further require that if 30% or more of the applicant's funding request includes inclides inclides products and/or services, then the funding request must be denied, otherwise the funding request will be reduced accordingly. 47 C.F.R. sec., 54,504(d),

If your appeal has been approved, but funding has been reduced or denied, you may appeal these decisions to either USAC or the FCC. For appeals that have been denied in full, partially approved, dismissed, or canceled, you may file an appeal to the FCC. You should refer to CC Docket No. 02-6 on the first page of your appeal to the FCC. Your appeal must be received or postmarked within 60 days of the date on this letter. Fallure to meet this requirement will result in automatic dismissal of your appeal. If you are submitting your appeal via United States Postal Service, send to: FCC, Office of the Secretary, 445 12th Street SW, Washington, DC 20554. Further information and options for filting an appeal directly with the FCC can be found in the "Appeals Procedure" of filting in the Reference Area of the 3LD section of the USAC website of by contacting the Client Service Bureau. We strongly recommend that you use the electronic filing options

We thank you for your continued support, patience and cooperation during the appeal

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